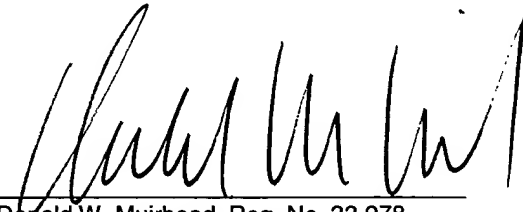
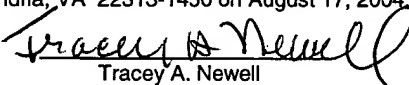


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<p><b>TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS</b></p> <p>Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application, including:</p> <p>(X) Amendment and Response;  (X) Petition for Extension of Time and Check for \$950.00; and  (X) Postcard Receipt.</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>CLAIMS AS AMENDED</b></p> <table border="1" style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <thead> <tr> <th style="width: 25%;"></th> <th style="width: 10%;">(1)</th> <th style="width: 10%;"></th> <th style="width: 10%;">(2)</th> <th style="width: 10%;">(3)</th> <th style="width: 10%;"></th> <th style="width: 10%;"></th> </tr> <tr> <th></th> <th>CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT</th> <th></th> <th>HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR</th> <th>PRESENT NUMBER EXTRA</th> <th>RATE</th> <th>FEE</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>TOTAL CLAIMS</td> <td style="text-align: center;">12</td> <td style="text-align: center;">Minus</td> <td style="text-align: center;">20</td> <td style="text-align: center;">0</td> <td style="text-align: center;">x \$18</td> <td style="text-align: center;">\$0</td> </tr> <tr> <td>INDEPENDENT CLAIMS</td> <td style="text-align: center;">8</td> <td style="text-align: center;">Minus</td> <td style="text-align: center;">8</td> <td style="text-align: center;">0</td> <td style="text-align: center;">x \$86</td> <td style="text-align: center;">\$0</td> </tr> <tr> <td>MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM ADDED</td> <td colspan="4"></td> <td style="text-align: center;">\$290</td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td colspan="5"></td> <td style="text-align: center;"><b>TOTAL</b></td> <td style="text-align: center;"><b>\$0</b></td> </tr> <tr> <td colspan="4">If applicant has small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27, then divide total fee by 2, and enter amount here.</td> <td colspan="2" style="text-align: center;"><b>SMALL ENTITY TOTAL</b></td> <td style="text-align: center;">\$</td> </tr> </tbody> </table> <p>* If the entry in column 1 is less than the entry in column 2, write "0" in column 3.  ** If the highest number previously paid for IN THIS SPACE is less than 20, enter "20."  *** If the highest number previously paid for IN THIS SPACE is less than 3, enter "3."  The "highest number previously paid for" (total or independent) is the highest number found in the appropriate box in column 1.</p> <p>( ) Please charge <b>Deposit Account Number 03-1721</b> in the amount of \$_____. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.</p> <p>( ) A check in the amount of \$_____ to cover the filing fee,</p> <p>(X) Please credit any overpayment and/or charge any additional filing fees required under 37 CFR §§ 1.16 and 1.17 to our <b>Deposit Account Number 03-1721</b>. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.</p> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between; align-items: flex-end; margin-top: 20px;"> <div style="width: 45%;">  <p>Donald W. Muirhead, Reg. No. 33,978</p> <p><u>August 17, 2004</u> Date</p> </div> <div style="width: 45%; border: 1px solid black; padding: 10px;"> <p>I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Mail Stop Amendment, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on August 17, 2004.</p>  <p style="text-align: center;">Tracey A. Newell</p> </div> </div>							(1)		(2)	(3)				CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT NUMBER EXTRA	RATE	FEE	TOTAL CLAIMS	12	Minus	20	0	x \$18	\$0	INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	8	Minus	8	0	x \$86	\$0	MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM ADDED					\$290							<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$0</b>	If applicant has small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27, then divide total fee by 2, and enter amount here.				<b>SMALL ENTITY TOTAL</b>		\$
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